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Brown et al.

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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

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1. Specification Total Pages 25
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3. Declaration and Power of Attorney Total Pages 3
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 - b. Copy from prior application (37CFR 1.63(d))
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Signed statement attached deleting Inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
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The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 3b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

5. Assignment Papers (cover sheet & documentation)
6. Letter under 37 CFR 1.41(c).
7. English Translation Document (*if applicable*)
8. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Copies of IDS Citations
9. Preliminary Amendment
10. Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
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11. Small Entity Statement filed in prior application, Statement(s) Status still proper and desired
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INVENTION: "FUSE ARRANGEMENTSAND FUSE BOXES FOR A VEHICLE"

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Sir:

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1. Utility Patent Application Transmittal (in duplicate);
2. Specification (25 pages);
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4. Declaration and Power of Attorney form (3 pages);
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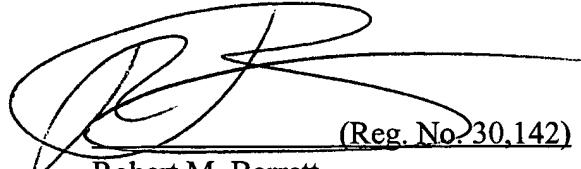
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Re: Brown et al. Application for Patent entitled: "FUSE ARRANGEMENTS AND FUSE BOXES FOR A VEHICLE"; Attorney Docket No. P99,2275.

Sir:

Under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.41(c), I am filing the attached patent application, claims, abstract, drawings and declaration and power of attorney on behalf of William P. Brown, James Chen, Carl S. Reid, Demetrios Thanopoulos, and Stephen J. Whitney by Express Mail No. EL 345 371 177 US and request that the patent application be assigned a serial number and filing date pursuant to the provisions of 37 CFR 1.53(b) and 37 CFR 1.53(d).

Respectfully submitted,



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Enclosure